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FROM: IRP / SALZBURG, AUSTRIA				DATE OF REPORT 19 September 1956 <b>MP</b>					
SUBJECT IDENTIFYING DATA									
CLASS <b>Expellee</b>		IRP CONTROL NO. <b>Salzburg-17.010</b>			FAMILY GROUP NO.'S. <b>Salzburg-17.011;17.012</b>				
NAME (SURNAME)		(FIRST NAME)		(MIDDLE NAME)		(NEE)		SEX <b>Male</b>	
<b>PEITZHL</b>		<b>Erich</b>							
ALIASES <b>Not Applicable</b>						PRESENT NATIONALITY <b>Ethnic German from Yugoslavia</b>			
DATE OF BIRTH (DAY)		(MONTH)		(YEAR)		PLACE OF BIRTH (CITY)		(COUNTRY)	
<b>27</b>		<b>Mar</b>		<b>1910</b>		<b>Brum</b>		<b>Yugoslavia</b>	
ACCOMPANYING MINORS (NO SEPARATE REPORT PREPARED)									
NAME		SEX		DATE OF BIRTH		PLACE OF BIRTH		IRP CONTROL NUMBER	
<b>Not Applicable</b>									
A. RECORDS CHECKS									
U. S. RECORDS CHECK		NR		25 Jul 56		CID, US Army, Linz Gendarmerie, Asten Welfare Center, Asten Camp 117, Asten		NR NR NR R 9 Jul 1956 6 Jul 1956 8 Aug 1956 8 Aug 1956	
U. S. RESIDENCE - INS									
U. S. RESIDENCE - "B"									
OTHER CONSULAR DISTRICT RECORDS									
66th CIO		R		7 Aug 56					
Austrian Police		NR		13 Jul 56					
BDC		NR		18 Sept 56					
Salzburg Consular Lookout File		NR		19 Sept 56					
B. SPLIT INVESTIGATIONS: <b>None</b>									
C. REMARKS: ATTENTION IS INVITED TO PARAGRAPH (S) <b>5, 8, 16</b> <b>Hostage, Military</b>									
D. <b>INDEX</b>									
John W. BARNES, Case Review Officer Name ADON R, Investigator									
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NAME

PEISCHL, Erich

IRP CONTROL NO.

Salzburg-17.110

SPONSOR(S) (NAME AND ADDRESS)

DETAILS:

On 6 Aug 1956, the files of Camp 117, Asten, District Linz, Upper Austria, were examined concerning SUBJECT and revealed substantially the following information:

Name: PEISCHL, Erich  
Date of Birth: 27 Mar 1910  
Place of Birth: Ruma, Yugoslavia  
Nationality: Ethnic German from Yugoslavia  
Occupation: Innkeeper  
Marital Status: Married to Transiska Oswald  
Son: Herbert  
Residences: unknown date - 29 Feb 1952 Neuhofer, District Ried, Upper Austria  
29 Feb 1952 - present Camp 117, Asten

A check of records and field investigation revealed the following:

1. PEISCHL was born on 27 Mar 1910 in Ruma Yugoslavia.
2. SUBJECT'S father, Emmerich Peischl, is deceased. His mother, Barbara Peischl nee Fussik, died on 12 Jul 1956.
3. SUBJECT was married to Barbara Oswald in Ruma, Yugoslavia, on 10 Jul 1938. Living with him are his wife, and his son, Herbert, born 22 Apr 1939. His sister, Hilde Bauer, resides in Weilingen, District Saackingen, German Federal Republic.
4. SUBJECT is an Ethnic German from Yugoslavia.
5. SUBJECT'S brother, Karl Peischl, resides in Werschetz, Yugoslavia.
6. Since coming to Austria in 1950, PEISCHL has resided in Neuhofer near Ried, and in Camp 117, Asten. Before SUBJECT was drafted into the German Army, he claims to have resided at Koenig Peterstrasse 97, Ruma, Yugoslavia. No evidence of foreign travel since SUBJECT came to Austria was developed.
7. Investigation revealed no derogatory information reflecting on SUBJECT'S health except that he suffers from an aneurism. Neither SUBJECT nor any of his family has ever suffered from a mental disorder.
8. In 1931, PEISCHL served as a private in the Artillery of the Yugoslavian Army in Baoschitsek, Yugoslavia, for nine months. On 19 Oct 1942, SUBJECT was drafted as a cook in the 30th Januar SS Division of the German Army in Auschwitz, Hof Birkenau and Riedultau near Riebnig, Upper Silesia, Germany. There he was sent to the Oder Unit, where he was taken prisoner-of-war by the Russians in Halle near Berlin, Germany, on 1 May 1945. From May 1945 to Oct 1945, he was in Camp Moyerswerda near Dresden, Germany. In Oct 1945, he was transferred to Kascharovo near Krosnival, District Wschodivoletschek, Russia. During his internment SUBJECT worked as an unskilled laborer. On 9 Jan 1950, PEISCHL was released because of undernourishment.
9. Investigation revealed no derogatory information concerning SUBJECT'S political history.

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NAME FRISCH, Erich		IRP CONTROL NO. Salzburg-17.910
SPONSOR(S) (NAME AND ADDRESS)		

DETAILS:

10. SUBJECT was a member of the German Association in Luma, Yugoslavia, from 1933 to 1942, and of the German Gymnastic Club in Luma, Yugoslavia, from 1921 to 1942. No information concerning membership with any political organization was developed.

11. SUBJECT has never been arrested or had any trouble with the police.

12. From 1917 to 1921, SUBJECT attended elementary school in Luma, Yugoslavia, and from 1921 to 1924, he attended high school in Belgrade and Neusatz, Yugoslavia. He is literate in the German and Serbo-Croatian languages.

13. From 25 Dec 1952 to 1 Jun 1955, SUBJECT was unemployed. Since 1 Jun 1955, FRISCH has been employed as an unskilled laborer with the Hollmann & Brosche Salvage Works, Neugablonz, Enns, District Linz, Upper Austria.

14. The following persons were interviewed:

\* Otto Roelz (present co-worker), residing in Enns.

Josef Wehnur (listed reference), born 3 Jun 1884, residing in Camp 117, Asten.

Johann Bieber (developed reference), born 22 Nov 1876, residing in Camp 117, Asten.

\* Istvan Szabo Kiss (developed reference), born 15 Feb 1928, residing in Camp 117, Asten.

All persons interviewed generally praised SUBJECT and no derogatory information was developed as a result of these interviews.

15. SUBJECT was not interviewed.

16. Check of 66th CIC records reveals the following: "SUBJECT stated that he was in compulsory military service in Yugoslavia for nine (?) months in 1931. From February 1942 to December 1944, he served in the German Militia in Croatia in combat against the Yugoslavian Partisans. From January 1945 to May 1945, SUBJECT served in the BERLIN vicinity in combat with SS Infantry Division "30th of January" as a private and was captured by the Russians. In January 1950, he was repatriated to Austria. (P-6) Information indicates that SUBJECT served in the SS Schutzge 6th Coy SS Totenkopfsturmbann Con Camp and his address and Auschwitz Con Camp. (P-3)

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